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Five Million Dollar Red Cross Campaign in March

With \$5,000,000 as the objective, the 1947 National Red Cross Appeal will open Monday, March 3, it was announced this week by Arthur L. Bishop, Chairman of the Canadian Red Cross National Executive Committee.

"The \$5,000,000 is for the vitally important peacetime work that can be done by your Red Cross," said Mr. Bishop. "It is equipped and ready to redirect the experience and strength developed in the war to a great programme for the benefit of all Canada. To carry out this programme, Canadians are asked to give their wholehearted support."

"Voluntary contributions to the Red Cross made by Canadians during the war were for war purposes only and most of this money has been expended. The balance is earmarked for and is being sent on civilian war relief. Under the War Charities Act, it cannot otherwise be used."

"The per capita Red Cross contributions of Canadians during the war were the highest of any country in the world and we are justified in being proud of this record."

"We are now faced with the challenge to conduct great humanitarian undertakings for the benefit of children, the relief of suffering, the saving of lives and the amelioration of the lot of the men who are still casualties of war."

"The money sought in the coming campaign will be for the civilian blood transfusion service being developed to meet emergency needs to save life and health all across Canada; to maintain and build more outposts hospitals on the frontiers of Canada; to carry on and widen the service to disabled veterans and to continue and expand the numerous other services that are given in peacetime by the Red Cross."

"The support of all the people of Canada is asked to make it possible to carry out this peacetime program. The Red Cross is confident that Canadians will respond to this appeal, with the same wholehearted generosity they displayed during the war years," said Mr. Bishop.



C. H. DICKINSON, O.B.E., D.F.C.

Famous northland flyer and a pioneer in the transatlantic bomber ferry during the late war, has been appointed assistant managing director of De Havilland Aircraft of Canada, Ltd., it was announced from the Toronto head office of De Havilland today. His headquarters will be in Toronto. For the past five years associated with the Canadian Pacific, Mr. Dickinson served its air line as vice-president and general manager. He is president of the Air Industries and Transport Association of Canada.

"Punch" Dickinson, whose flying career dates back to the days of World War I when he downed seven enemy planes, is one of the original bush pilots whose early flights made possible the present airline network of northern and western Canada. In 1923 he was in the centre of the first "gold rush by air" to the Red Lake district of Northern Ontario, and shortly afterwards was awarded the McKee Trophy for the year's greatest contribution to Canadian flying for a 4,000 mile survey of the unmappped and unpopulated barren lands of the Northwest Territories.

LOCAL RINKS IN CALGARY

J.W. Wordie and Tom Morris have rinks entered in the Calgary Bouspiel this week. Jack Topley will have a rink entered in the Old Timers event in this bouspiel and other members of his rink will be Dave Sinclair, Bill McCoy and Sam Thompson.

NOTES FROM THE EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Brander had as dinner guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clarke, Mrs. D. Wood, Ken and Claire, and Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger and daughter Sherrin.

Mrs. L. Hunsperger and daughter were visiting with her mother for a few days recently.

A blizzard started last Monday and continued for a couple of days until the roads and coulees were really blocked. Fred Metz said the minute the wind started to blow and until after the roads were completely plowed out, his phone rang continually, wanting to know if the snow plow was coming out to open the roads. He says that's how he knows his girl's figure—running between the barn and the house to answer the phone calls. However, no feeding, Fred's okay. On Tuesday morning early he took the team and cutter and made a trip to Didsbury and everybody along the road sent for groceries and had their mail brought out.

Little Sandra Brander was taken to Didsbury hospital on Thursday morning. Sandra had had a bad case of the flu which settled in her ears. We are pleased to hear that Sandra's condition has improved.

Reg Thompson was a Sunday evening guest with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shells.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Eckel spent Friday evening at the home of Fred Metz. As the roads were snowed in they walked to get the mail and some groceries.

We would like to convey to the friends of Mr. C.F. Dooley, formerly of Didsbury, the news that he is in the Holy Cross hospital but is progressing favorably. Mr. Thomas Finley, also formerly of Didsbury, has been keeping house for Mr. Dooley in his absence.

Mr. F. Metz, Mrs. Dowell and Evelyn, and Mrs. Hansen enjoyed a cozy dinner with Mr. and Mrs. R. Eckel on Sunday.

Saturday afternoon on the highway about half way between Didsbury and Okla., a car was stopped. A man was standing in front of his car, one hand holding his hat on, one hand holding his coat closed.

Upon approaching his car he recognized the man to be Mr. C. Neuman. The wind was so strong we believe he was listening to see if his motor was running. However, a short time later, Mr. Neufeld arrived in Olds O.K. I wonder what took him north on such a day.

W.M.S. OF KNOX UNITED CHURCH REGULAR MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Knox United Church was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. K. Peterson. Twelve ladies were present. Mrs. H. Bowman was in charge of the devotional period and also conducted the study on the youth of India.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Peterson served lunch.

BURNSIDE NEWS NOTES

The Page boys, who had to be in Calgary Wednesday morning on business, succeeded in shovelling their way out to the Cheese Factory and from there they were able to get out to the highway at Carstairs and into the city. They shovelled eight miles of road Tuesday night in 20 below weather, and worked from 7 o'clock in the evening until 12:30 before getting to the Cheese Factory. After opening up the road, they returned home and at 5:30 the next morning were on their way to the city, arriving about 8:30 p.m.

Little Sandra Brander is a patient in the Didsbury hospital suffering with the flu. Her little brother, Doug, was heart broken at the loss of his playmate.

Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger spent last week and with her mother, Mrs. B. Wood. She returned home before the storm.

The W.P. Schultz family were dinner guests last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Dornier Bowen at Carstairs.

Little Grace Weber avoided what might have been a serious accident last Wednesday when the horse she and her little brother were riding to school bolted and gave the children quite a scare. They were taken home by the teacher.

Mrs. Mardon and Charlie visited in Calgary with Charles Sr. who is a patient in the Belcher hospital suffering from pneumonia. Charlie seems to be on the road to recovery.

It is reported that the W. Falk sale at Sunnyslope on Saturday was a give-away affair.

On for the day when the phones will be in working order again?

Muriel Hayne of Three Hills spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hayne. Mrs. Krause and Marcia Garth were callers at the Cornie Neufeld farm Saturday.

Dave Hughes visited Sunday, January 12 with Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCulloch.

Rumor has it that Jack Boulton, late of Burnside, has purchased a ranch at Cochrane.

Alfie Thompson is undergoing medical treatment in Calgary. We wish him a speedy recovery. Alfie is staying with relatives.

Lloyd Jenkins of the Atlas Lumber Yard in Didsbury, visited Sunday with his brothers, Dennis and Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. McCulloch and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson were dinner guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ablerim.

Mr. L. Koluth, who was operated on December 12th, is still in the Holy Cross hospital in Calgary and is reported to be just holding his own.

We were relieved to find the roads open again on Friday and the rail coming out again after the storm.

MISS MARGARET MANN PAYS VISIT TO C.G.I.T. GROUPS

On Friday evening the three C.G.I.T. groups held a joint meeting in the Knox United Church when Miss Margaret Mann of Calgary, secretary of the Girls' Work Board, paid an official visit to the groups. Part of the evening was spent in discussing business, followed by the playing of games, folk dancing and a talk by Miss Mann. At the close of the evening a delightful lunch was served.

Miss Mann was the guest of Miss Willison during her stay in town.

WHITLEY-McNEIL

The marriage of Arlene Eleanor, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. McNeil of Didsbury, and Mr. James Whitley, took place at Vancouver on December 30th.

DIDSBURY HOSPITAL BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Schellenberg of Didsbury on Monday, January 20, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Nelson of Didsbury on Sunday, January 19, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Bennett of Carstairs on Thursday, January 16, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Roberts of Elkton on Tuesday, January 14, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. Epp of Didsbury on Wednesday, January 15, a girl.

LEE OF CARSTAIRS WINS MERCHANTS EVENT AT BONSPIEL

With 32 rinks entered, the annual bouspiel of the Didsbury Curling Club continued for five days last week, with the first draw starting each morning at 9:00 a.m. and the final draw of the day at 11:00 p.m. Play was continuous for the five days on Didsbury's two sheets of ice and probably the most outstanding finish of any one game was in the semi-finals of the Merchants event when Lee of Carstairs defeated Weber of Carstairs. Lee was five down coming back from a score of seven end to win the game 11-13.

Owing to the soft ice and the time being inconvenient for some of the curlers, the last two main events, the Rosebud and the Citizens, were not played off and it is therefore impossible to give the prize winners in these events. However, the Merchants Competition was completed and this was won by Lee of Carstairs, with Worde of Didsbury second, Weber of Carstairs third, and Aarsby of Carstairs fourth.

WESTCOTT NEWS NOTES

(Week of January 12)

The Westcott hockey club had laid to postpone their program and box social from the 17th of January until the following Friday, January 24th, at 8 p.m. The function will be held at the Westcott school, so keep this date in mind and come out and give the boys some much needed support.

Mr. and Mrs. Linden Jacobsen spent a couple of days last week in Calgary and left again on Sunday. Mrs. Jacobsen is having dental work done there.

Mrs. Ed Berscht of Elkton spent Tuesday last week visiting with Mrs. Ruth Goetjen. Mrs. Berscht is ill and we hope it is nothing serious.

Duane Jacobsen spent the week end as the guest of Neil Folkman.

The Westcott W.I. are sponsoring a series of card parties and hope to have them, every two weeks during this winter season. To date two have been held, the first at Westcott school, and in spite of the severe weather a good turnout enjoyed themselves at school.

Last Friday another such party was held at the Jackson school and three tables of bridge and nine of whist were played. A party in a bridge went to Mrs. Alvin Sheer for the ladies and Mr. Otto Faas for the men, consultations going to Miss Nancy Krys and Miss Alex Robertson. The whist winners were Mrs. Ed Klinek for the ladies and Mr. Earl Klinek for the men. The consolation went to Mrs. Frank Summerville and Mr. Guy Sunberg.

The next card party takes place at Westcott school on January 23rd at 8 p.m. Admission is 25c each but lunch is served free of charge by the ladies.

Mrs. Sid Wright gave a very delightful birthday party at her home last Friday night. About 35 guests gathered together to wish Mrs. Berscht the best of wishes on the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Goetjen and family and Lena Sanderson, and Mr. Chas. Brown were among the guests.

The Fox Meat and the Boy Scouts played a game of hockey on Saturday on Herman's rink. The Scouts won by a 4-3 score. We have an idea who the Scouts are, but wonder who the Fox Meat could be.

For those interested in Cremona's hockey, Cremona lost two games last week, the first to Innisfail in overtime 6-4, and the other game to Bowden 5-0.

Our weather man had a hard time deciding what to dish out to us last week-end, but Sunday morning he knew, and boy did we get it, and this time good and proper. The old north wind piled snow as high as buildings and as far as the roads are concerned, drifts are so high that even old dobbin can't get through, so now the only hope is the snow plow as our traffic is at a standstill.

C.P.R. TRAIN TIME TABLE

Train No.	To Calgary
522	4:51 a.m.
524	11:54 a.m.
526	5:20 p.m.
Train No.	To Edmonton
521	1:10 a.m.
523	10:50 a.m.
525	6:19 p.m.

All the above trains are daily



Marking a new era in hotel comfort, ultra-modern day-night parlor-bedrooms have been introduced at the Royal York, the Canadian Pacific's 1200-room hotel in Toronto. Largest hotel in the British Empire.

quarter bed. The unit also houses a writing desk, which becomes a dressing table when the top is lifted, storage space for the lounge cushions, and bedding, a side table and radio. Pleasingly compact, the rooms are perfect for entertaining.

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LONG YEARS AGO

From the Files of The Didsbury Pioneer January 25, 1907.

Mr. D. Klaber, formerly a C.P.R. cook, has opened up a bakine establishment in Lacknerville.

Mr. T.D. Thomas is preparing to register his townsite at the three hills. It will be named after the name of "Franklin", Alberta.

Mr. D. Weber, a successful young farmer, has made application to the Town Council to establish a flour mill in Didsbury.

The Council recently paid out \$2 to Newhall and Denny to round up the stray cattle in town.

Mr. N. Eby was appointed town clerk at an annual salary of \$350.

The Didsbury School Board has made application to borrow \$18,000 to build a solid brick school.

WESTERDALE NOTES

The Westerdale Willing Workers held their second whist party of the winter last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. Jackson, with Mrs. S. Jackson as co-hostess, when seven tables of whist were played. The prize winners were: Mrs. Jack Schrader and Mr. Francis Jackson, Consolation winners were: Mrs. Ted Bolton and Mr. Jim Schrader. The next whist party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Nimmons on January 29.

A very large crowd attended the dance at the Westerdale Hall last Friday night.

Mr. W. Herbert purchased a new Ford car from Roger Barrett last week.

Mrs. L. Jones returned on Monday from a two week's visit with relatives in Calgary.

1946 EGG PRODUCTION

Egg production for 1946 is estimated at 345 million dozens which is about 29 million dozens below 1945. This decrease in production, together with the high domestic consumption, makes it impossible to fill completely the present contract with Britain, says the Current Review of Agriculture. Conditions in Canada. Shipments will be about 60 million dozens, which is 23 million short of the 83 millions called for in the contract.

Mr. Walter Scheidt and W.E. Stiles were delegates to the U.F.A. convention in Calgary. Mrs. Stiles also attended the U.F.W.A. convention as a reporter for the farm weekly newspapers.

DIDBURY MARKETS

EGGS

A Large	34c
A Medium	32c
A Pullet	28c
B's	24c
C's	21c

BUTTERFAT

Delivery Basis at Crystal Dairy	
Special	39c
No. 1	37c
No. 2	32c
Table Cream	33c
10c subsidy on all churning cream.	

Buckingham Palace

Special Post Office Maintained To Handle King George's Mail

(By Basil Fuller in Ottawa Journal)

THE retirement recently announced of T. E. Ridout, Court Postmaster at Buckingham Palace throughout the war, recalls that King George's daily mail bag is so large that he must maintain a special post office to handle it. Situated in Buckingham Palace, the Court Post Office is not open to the public, but employs more than 20 workers. At such seasons — dates which the world knows to be of personal importance to the King — the number may be increased to 30.

Normally, the letters, parcels, telegrams and cables which pass through the Royal Post Office weekly may be numbered in hundreds, but at the time of an event of seasonal importance, perhaps the King's birthday, the volume is trebled and even quadrupled.

In 1940 when a German invasion of the United Kingdom seemed inevitable, many people in Britain feared that the Government might compound with Germany even as the French rulers had recently done, partly against the wish of the majority of people in France. Hundreds of anxious men and women then wrote direct to their King, assuring him that the masses were eager for a strong policy, and beseeching him to use his influence to force an even more resolute front. The number of letters had already been offered. These people need not have feared, but their action threw tremendous additional work upon the staff of the King's post office.

At the time of the abdication of Edward VIII, the Palace postal staff had to be augmented to twice its normal size. The numbers of letters which then arrived exceeded even the flood which occurred at the time of King George V's last illness. King George the Good was perhaps the most widely loved ruler of modern times.

The Coronation of King George VI, VE-Day, and VJ-Day each brought excessive work to the staff of the Court Post Office.

Members of the staff of this little-known post-office are handicapped, as also are all relief workers. They do not live in the Palace, but the King has had set aside for their special use a large dining room, where normally meals are served during the day, and special light refreshments prepared for night workers.

Letters posted in the Palace do not receive any distinguishing post-mark. They are merely franked "S.W.L." There is an excellent reason for this procedure. Were a special mark adopted, thousands of collectors, living in all parts of the world, would think of a pretext for writing direct to the King in the hope of receiving in return a missive bearing the royal markings. Clearly, the King, who often works ten and eleven hours a day, cannot receive mail from people of whom he has never even heard, nor is it reasonable to ask an already overworked post-department to handle unnecessary correspondence of this kind. Thus it happens that the special postmark is reserved for use on telegrams only.

Although, as already explained, it is not possible for the King to see personally any casual letter which may arrive, very occasionally the sender of such an unsolicited missive does receive a surprise. For instance, a story is told of a small boy who wrote to the King without the knowledge of his parents.

"Dear Sir King," he wrote "Me and sis was very disappointed the other day. We stood at attention and saluted when you went by. But your silly driver was doing the jockey's trick so hard that you didn't see us. Please tell him to go slow when he passes Pa's house next time. Then you will see us alright, TOM."

It was in early December when Tom wrote his letter. On Christmas Eve there reached his home a parcel containing a large box of chocolates. (The incident happened before the War.) Inside was a sheet of Palace note-paper with the message:

"To me and sis—a very happy Christmas." Queen Elizabeth had seen the letter, and had taken appropriate action.

Attached to the Court Post Office in "Buck House," as the Palace is often called, is a telephone exchange, where at least two operators are always on duty. Needless to say, the number of this exchange in the London Telephone Directory when next you are in Britain. It is not printed there. While not kept a secret, it is not made available to the world at large. But in following this course, King George does not make any advantage of a privilege open to all his subjects; no one who does not wish to do so, need include his number in the public book of reference.

For convenience sake, direct lines run from the Court Post Office to certain chosen buildings; these include the Houses of Parliament, Chequer—the home of the British Prime Minister—St. James' Palace, Windsor Castle, Sandringham House, Balmoral, and the residences of all members of the Royal Family.

One outstanding peculiarity of the Court Post Office is that cash never crosses its counter. All orders,

whether of residents or of visitors, are carefully booked. Accounts are then rendered on suitable occasions, in the case of visitors on their departure from the Palace.

The new Court Postmaster is J. Burt, who entered the Post Office Service 29 years ago.

Items Of Interest

Although two types of knots are used in making Oriental rugs, both are so fine that a magnifying glass is needed to distinguish them.

A tornado can take a tight-fitting cork out of a bottle. It reduces the air pressure to the extent that the normal pressure inside the bottle blows out the cork.

According to C. L. Forsling, U.S. forester, lumber may be traced to its tree by its wood prints, which have about the same rating and function as fingerprints.

Brushes made from the leaves of Yucca, New Mexico's official state flower, were used by pre-historic Pueblo Indians to paint designs on their pottery.

It takes 4,500 pounds of coal to make a new automobile; 337 pounds to make a refrigerator and 75 pounds to make a lawn mower.

During many months of the year more water evaporates from the Great Lakes than flows over Niagara Falls.

The planet Neptune never is visible to the naked eye, but is seen easily with a telescope.

FINAL EXAMS

The Reader's Digest tells one: Two little girls were busily discussing their families.

"Why does your grandmother read the Bible so much?" asked one.

"I think," said the other little girl, "that she's cramming for her final."

WILL HUMPTY DUMPTY BE PUT BACK TOGETHER AGAIN?



— Bishop in the St. Louis Star-Times

No Benefit To Them If Quality Maintained

Forty Hour Week Does Not Lessen Work Of Housewives

It is said that one of the difficult questions the Labor Ministry had to answer in the recent New Zealand general elections came from the housewives. They claimed that, while better wages and shorter hours for workers, including women, were the policy of the Government the housewives didn't benefit in the least—they still did the housework and cooked meals seven days a week because workers eat seven days a week even though they work only 40 hours. However, it was said during the New Zealand campaign, were by way of becoming slaves.

The problem of balancing hours of workers in secondary industry with those of workers in a primary industry such as agriculture, or the hours of work of the housewife, is one which is going to come more and more into the discussion of working hours in the future. Unless a fair balance can be maintained we can look for hard feelings in the future between various classes of workers. —Lethbridge Herald.

VERY CONSIDERATE

Police Lieut. Alexander Emerson, head of Baltimore's vice squad, raided a barber shop and arrested two men on charges of bookmaking. While the barber finished cutting a patron's hair, the considerate Emerson went upstairs and arrested the second man. Then he returned for the barber.

Bananas account for 81 per cent of the exports of Honduras.

Dominion-Provincial Conference

Recommendations For Canada's 1947 Food Production Targets

OTTAWA.—Canada's 1947 food production targets, developed at three days of discussion by delegates to the Dominion-Provincial conference, were in the record for consideration by Canadian farmers. One of the most important of the recommendations made as the fifth annual conference concluded was one to the federal government that an "adequate" payment be made to Prairie province farmers for every acre of land they used to barley.

This suggestion, which Agriculture Minister Gardiner said would be placed before the cabinet, arose from the need for a higher production of the feed grains barley and oats if the present downward trend in the output of livestock and dairy products was to be halted and reversed.

It was in line with the conference recommendation that barley acreage in 1947 be increased to 8,000,000 acres from the 6,250,000 acres in 1946, and that oats acreage be boosted to 14,310,200 acres from the total of 13,162,700.

The 1947 wheat acreage was set at 24,000,000 acres, down 1,000,000 from the 25,000,000 acres seeded in 1946, while the rye acreage was reduced to 487,100 from 518,000.

The recommendation dealing with an acreage payment on barley suggested that the present 15-cent premium paid farmers for each bushel of barley sold be removed but that the payment of freight assistance on feed shipped to the Maritime provinces and British Columbia be continued.

Suggestions were made during the conference discussions that the acreage payment be \$5 an acre and that the present price ceiling of 64¢ cents a bushel on barley be maintained. The suggestion for a payment originally was made by John Watson, president of the Saskatchewan wheat pool.

Mr. Gardiner delivered the closing address to the delegates and told them that he could go back to their provinces with "confidence" that Canadian farmers would be able to sell all they could produce in 1947.

The agricultural supplies board which prepared the production objectives for the conference, reported that the 1946 output of butter, estimated at 270,100,000 pounds, may not provide sufficient stocks at the year's end to meet the current six-month individual butter ration during the first four months of 1947. For 1947 it budgeted for a butter production of 285,000,000 pounds.

For milk, the target was set at 7,500,000,000 pounds against 1946 estimated total of 16,909,538,000 pounds while the cheeddar cheese objective was 183,000,000 pounds, compared with 138,777,000 of 1947. Concentrated milk products were increased to 209,100,000 pounds from 277,500,000.

The recommended egg output was 378,500,000 dozen against 345,000,000 while poultry meat objective was held unchanged at 215,000,000 pounds.

Gay Stitchery



7301

by Alice Brooks

Umm, good enough to eat! Embroider these fruit motifs in cross-stitch for a bright note of color on aprons, linens, and fun to do. Let the children do this simple stitchery; they'll enjoy it. Pattern 7301 has a transfer of 7 motifs averaging 4 1/2" x 3 1/2" inches, stitches.

To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 155 McDermott Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number.

New Rocket Plane Comes Test

Expects To Reach 1,700 Miles An Hour At 80,000 Feet

LOS ANGELES.—A new air age was heralded with an official Army announcement that its first rocket plane, the Bell XS-1, had been successfully test flown at Muroc Army Air Base.

Designed to rocket man into the unexplored realm beyond the speed of sound, the tiny jet-winged ship was dropped from the belly of a huge B-29 bomber and leaped away in a flamboyant flight, nearly seven minutes on rocket power.

Test Pilot Chalmers "Slim" Goodlin, of Greenburg, Pa., held the reins in control. He powerfully rocketed tubes carefully in check keeping the needle-nose craft down to 500 miles an hour.

Next summer, after at least 20 more preliminary flights, Goodlin will unleash the plane's full power, capable of blasting the ship to speeds as high as 1,700 miles an hour at 80,000 feet.

Gliding silently away from the mother ship, the two-ton orange-colored craft shot up 10,000 feet to 35,000 when Goodlin tested the four rocket tubes, one at a time. He turned on all four only momentarily.

The handful of top military men and engineers permitted to observe, reported the XS-1 climbed, dived and banked to wide, easy spirals, tracing a faint white trail in the blue desert sky.

"Everything was tops, the plane, the engine, the flight," the 25-year-old ex-R.A.F. pilot said.

It wasn't until I turned on the fourth cylinder for a few seconds that I got a noticeable shove forward. But my main impression was an eerie silence in the cockpit, no roar, no noise at all."

The XS-1 has a skin 25 times stronger than on normal planes in order to resist the punishment expected when the ship cracks the wall of sound about 760 miles an hour at sea level. No plane has yet hit that wall.

UNFINISHED OVERTURE

The village orchestra had just rehearsed the overture for the sixth time.

"Thank you," said the composer, who was also the conductor. "At last you have given me a true interpretation of my work."

"Gee!" whispered the man with the trombone. "That's queer. I've got two pages to play yet."

With wings measuring 12 inches across, the Atlas silk moth is the giant of its kind. 2704

Turns Over Ancient Estate To Anglican Sisterhood For Girls' School



Home to Lord Halifax is Garrochy Hall, a 30-room mansion with 480 acres of park and meadow land 15 miles from York.



Second Yorkshire country house owned by the Earl of Halifax, "typical English aristocrat" and former ambassador to U.S., is 60-room Hickleton Hall, which he is giving to a girls' school, retaining the rest of the estate, which includes a village.



Now crammed with disused farm implements, carts and furniture needing repairs, these stables at Hickleton Hall are to be converted into living quarters for Lord and Lady Halifax. They were built to hold a score or more horses and carriages.



Lord and Lady Halifax are seen at the back door of Garrochy Hall, where the former viceroy of India raises cattle, sheep.

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Editorial

VOTING IS A PRIVILEGE

Mary Lowrey Ross in an article on "The Underprivileged Voter" in Saturday Night had some interesting comments to make on the lack of interest shown in Toronto City Elections last November, which would seem adaptable to almost any town or city in Canada at the present time.

The comment was in the form of a dialogue and one of the participants finally said there was one way to get out the vote: "Slap ten dollars fine on any qualified voter who didn't turn out to vote. This would get 90 per cent of the voters out."

However, the comeback was noteworthy: "Ninety per cent! Why practically the whole town would turn out. They'd vote that Council out on it's fanny before you could say 'Democracy'."

And that seems true of any legislation designed to force a free people to do anything against their wishes. However, the question of lack of interest in civic elections has been discussed pro and con in the past ten years but the same situation still exists. The average voter will not take the trouble to go out and cast his ballot on election day, but he will use his right to freedom of speech to blast the elected members into eternity, if this were possible.

With local elections coming up for town council, school trustees and municipal councillors, the ratepayers of this community should make up their minds that they will vote on election day. In this way only can we elect members to our municipal bodies who are representative of the most people in the community. Lack of interest shows lack of progress, and right now we are at the progressive stage. Let's continue in this state—and when election time comes around let's all get out and vote and show municipal authorities that it isn't necessary to pass compulsory legislation to force citizens to exercise their franchise.

COME—AND HEAR



REV. & MRS. R. GREENWAY

Talented Young Musicians

Mrs. Greenway plays the piano and Irish harp. Mr. Greenway is a concert violinist and also plays the theremin, the instrument of mystery. This instrument is a scientific marvel; played without the performer touching it. Mr. and Mrs. R. Greenway will be heard at the

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

DIDSBURY, ALBERTA

They will be here for one week.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26 TO

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2

The meetings on Sunday will be at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The week day meetings will be Monday through Friday at 8 p.m.

The public are invited to hear these talented musicians.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Didsbury School District No. 652

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of Didsbury School District No. 652 will be held in the High School Building, Didsbury, on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1947, at eight o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the reports of the Board of Trustees of the said School District for the year ending December 31st, 1946.

ROY G. MCARTHUR,

Secretary-Treasurer

2tc

It is good business to spend money to wipe out tuberculosis. It would be far cheaper in the end than to go on bearing the terrific cost of caring for the tuberculosis. The Christmas Seal fund still needs your dollars.

THEATRE NEWS

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Mennonite Brethren in Christ Church, intends to apply to the next Session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, for an Act amending the Act of Incorporation of the said Church, being Chapter 81 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1927, so as to exempt from taxation as of the 1st day of January, A.D. 1947, certain of the real and personal property of the said Church situate in the Town of Didsbury and used for educational purposes of a theological nature.

The description of the real property for which exemption from taxation is sought is the whole of Block Four (4), Plan 7076 C.N. and Lot 4, Block 4, Plan 4191 F.P. in the Town of Didsbury.

DATED at the Town of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, this 15th day of January, A.D. 1947.

MENNONITE BRETHREN

IN CHRIST CHURCH

3-4tc

An Evening On The Farm

By Leslie May

There are farmers and farmers. There is the neat, methodical farmer who has a place for everything and everything in its place. And there's the slap happy farmer whose machinery and equipment is scattered helter skelter all over his barnyard, house yard and where have you.

The first type of farmer is the one who keeps the gears of agriculture meshing smoothly, but it is the second type who adds the touch of spice and adventure to what is commonly considered by the uninitiated to be a dull and uninteresting occupation. Compared to crossing his barnyard after dark, tackling one of Rommel's minefields would be a cinch.

Let us assume that you are one of the latter type of farmer and that you are standing on your back porch listening for sounds of disturbances in your back yard. You're not disappointed either; you presently hear a noise that confirms your darkest suspicions. The cattle have broken out of the corral. So you head out across the back yard, but before you have taken six steps you dive head first into a box of refuse from the cellar, burying your finger in the rotting remains of some rotten potatoes. As you wipe your fingers on the grass, you mentally kick yourself for being so careless as to leave your finger in the path. Then you start out again for the gate that leads to the barn yard. This gate almost invariably stands open, but tonight someone has closed it as your sore chin testifies after coming in violent contact with the topmost picket. Proceeding more cautiously now, you make a successful detour around a pile of wood which has been gathered up from everywhere and dumped unceremoniously in front of the gate.

You step over the harrows without wincing your ankle and even miss a head on collision with the upright cuterbar of the mower by a hair's breadth. But you come to grief when you try to squeeze between the grinder and the fanning mill, for something catches your neck and rips it for at least three inches, just at the same time that you bump your shin on the edge of a grain shovel that shouldn't be where it is. By this time you can

vaguely make out the shapes of several cows and you cross over to the garden fence and start to walk along it toward the field gate. Feeling safe here, you strike out rapidly but alas! even here a cruel fate awaits you; someone has left the hoe lying along the fence, you step on its blade, and the handle comes up and bops you on the bean. Your language after this mishap is best left to the imagination of the reader. However, you eventually reach the gate, close it, and then start to round up the cows with the avowed intention of putting them back in the pasture for the night. You're getting along nicely too, when one fractious brute decides to go the wrong way and with a toss of her horns and a swish of her tail, she's swallowed up in the darkness. Throwing caution to the winds you light out after her; only a few jumps and you hook both feet into a small barrel hoop and your head-long flight comes to an ignominious end as you measure your length on the ground. This time you don't bother to get up. The cows can go to hang for all you care. You just lie there trying to get your breath back, and vow that you'll lie right there until morning unless someone comes with a lantern. You'd just as soon die of pneumonia as a broken neck.

Of course this tale only pictures some of the darker moments of farming. It has its light moments too, and some day when I'm in the right mood, maybe I'll write and tell you about them.

PORK PRICE UP

The price of Grade A1 Wilshire sides rose \$2 per cwt., on January 19th, and also applied to inspected bacon from hogs slaughtered in inspected packing plants. On September 1st an additional \$2 per cwt. will be paid for export bacon. This \$4 increase per cwt. will hold good until the end of 1948.

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NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE DIDSBURY HEALTH SOCIETY

All membership dues for 1947 must be paid by the end of January, 1947, to the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Eckel, one door west of the telephone office. Also anyone desiring information as to the Society, kindly get in touch with the Secretary, or with W. Reist, President.

New members welcomed.

Oldsmobile Hydra-matic

A news item in the "Pioneer" last week referred to a car now manufactured in England with no clutch pedal or gear shift. Wonderful! And what a pleasure to drive one—But why go to England?

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FOR SALE—317 acres of good farm land, 12 miles east of Didsbury on gravel road. Good house and dairy barn and soft water well. Apply at Pioneer office. 2-4tp

WANTED TO BUY—Four-roomed house in Didsbury. Apply to Mel Shantz, phone 208. 3-2tp

FOR SALE—1942 Two-ton Chev. Truck, equipped for general trucking; good shape. Apply to L. J. Woodson, Didsbury. 4-2p

WANTED—Married man would like job to operate farm. Lots of experience. Earl Wood, c/o Bruce Sheils, R.R. 2, Didsbury. 3-4tp

FOR SALE—1932 Pontiac Sedan, motor, transmission and rear end just overhauled. Brakes relined, good tires. Phone 1912, Didsbury. 3-1tc

FOR SALE—Government Tested Brood Bred Bronze Turkeys. Apply to Ray Wood, phone 1605, Carstairs. 3-3tp

FOR SALE—Six Young Purebred York Boars. Old enough for service. Apply to C.P. Shields, phone 2093, Didsbury. 3-2tp

OWN YOUR OWN BUSINESS—

Exclusive Franchise available for Didsbury and District for aggressive man with farm background to sell Dairy Equipment including "The World's Finest Portable and Pipeline Milkers." Man selected must have small amount of capital and automobile. Annual earnings of \$5000 or over. Write DAIRY EQUIPMENT CO. OF ALTA., 87 Union Bldg., Calgary, Alta. for information and interview. 3-3tc

FOR SALE—40 Tons of Timothy Hay. Apply to Roland Brown, phone 516, Didsbury. 4-3tc

FOR SALE—Registered Aberdeen Angus Bull. Apply Bob Eckel, phone 1403. 1tp

FOR SALE—1934 Plymouth Sedan, new motor, new tires. A good buy. Apply to G. Neufeld, Box 91. 4-2tp

FOR SALE—1932 Chev. Master Coach, good tires, good condition. Apply to H. Hiebert. 4-2tp

FOR SALE—John Deere V an Brunt 20-run Double Disc Drill, with tractor hitch. Apply to Bill Shaw, Box 218. 4-3tp

WANTED—Cream Separator, medium size, in good condition. Renfrew preferred. G.C. Leeson, phone 412. 1tp

FOR SALE—Kitchen Cabinet, Cook Stove, Dining Room Table; Remington Typewriter, 12 gauge Shot Gun, Skates and Boots, Dresser, Pump with cylinder, Wood Stove in good condition, that will burn wood 3½ feet long; Beds, Baby Crib, Buffet—Cecil Malloch at the Second Hand Store. 1p

FOR SALE—Pair of ironed feather Pillows, and Ironing Board. Apply to Mrs. L.M. Currie at G. Parsons Jr. residence. 4-2tc

WANTED—Farm work for experienced couple with six children, youngest 14 years old. Can start work at once—Apply to John H. Whitehead, general delivery, Calgary. 4-2tp

WANTED—Steel Steamer Trunk, by person leaving in February as a missionary to Africa—Apply to Henry Erb, Didsbury. 4-2p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—General Purpose Team; and McClary's Cook Stove. Apply to Doug Landon, Didsbury. 4-2p

FOR SALE—22 Rifle; Kitchen Set, four chairs, table and buffet. Also Kitchen Cabinet, good condition. Apply O. Gilmore, East Didsbury. 4-2p

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

TOWN OF DIDSBURY

Public notice is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Town of Didsbury will be held at the Didsbury School on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1947, at eight o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Mayor, Secretary-Treasurer, Auditor and Chairmen of the various committees of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Dated at Didsbury this 20th day of January, 1947.

F.L. EVANS,
Secretary-Treasurer

CARD OF THANKS

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THE NASTIEST NOISE
KNOWN TO NATURE

Some little time ago the BBC in broadcasting animal noises from the Zoo—and, incidentally, it was astonishing how like the lion the alligator sounded—asked the expert who was helping in the broadcast whether he could identify a noise, admittedly greatly magnified between the crunch of leaves and the ripple of water. The clue was that the noise was quite the loudest known to nature, and the answer, given after both expert and listener had time to think of the more horrific of beasts and their grisly work of killing and eating, was at once ingenious and unsatisfactory. It was "a moth gnawing a dinner jacket."

People take heart when you give them yours.

THE HIGH COST OF
PRICE SECURITY

(By H. G. L. Strange)

Throughout the world there seems to be at the moment a wave of thinking that Governments somehow should provide security for all of us. In some countries attempts are being made to provide that security. In Britain, for instance, the Government has guaranteed farmers set prices on certain farm products. In return, however, the farmers have had to give up to the Government the entire supervision and control of their farming operations. Those farmers who in any way do not live up to the stringent government regulations may be heavily fined, or imprisoned, or may have their farms taken from them. The first case under the new Act was that of a farmer from Spalding, Lin-

colnshire—Mr. Ralph Bishop—who was sent to prison for four months and fined \$8,000.00 for sowing 6 acres of a certain crop more than permitted. One can only wonder how long the sturdy independent British farmers will submit to having their complete operations controlled and dictated by bureaucrats.

What a birthright of hard-won liberty, freedom and independence these British farmers have forfeited for a "mess of pottage" of temporary price security!

One wonders what the British farmers will buy with their extra price, one half as precious as the freedom and liberty they have given up.

Nothing is impossible. It's just that some things are a little more difficult than others.

AVOIDING COLDS

Here's the way National Health authorities suggest one may avoid respiratory infections—most common during cold weather. Eat regularly, having well-balanced meals; sleep in well-ventilated room, clean out impurities of the air-passages by deep breathing, and stay away from obvious cases of sore throat and head colds.

PLAY OUTDOORS

Wise people prefer to play and enjoy themselves outdoors rather than in confined rooms. Health authorities approve recreation and amusement, a necessary relief from work and worry. They particularly endorse outdoor play, when possible.

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It's wholesome to be tired from hard work but something is wrong if you ever grow weary.

The next war may really be the war to end all wars. It is likely, in fact, to end all humanity.

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT NOTICE

Respecting Price Control

The Wartime Prices and Trade Regulations (Order in Council P.C. 8528 of November 1, 1941) established basic period maximum prices for goods and designated services. These regulations were passed under the authority of the War Measures Act and continued in force under the National Emergency Transitional Powers Act, 1945.

From time to time these basic maximum prices have been varied or the fixed maximum has been suspended in the case of particular goods and services by Orders issued by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board under the authority of the above Regulations. A few days ago a substantial number of suspensions from price control was announced.

I believe it is desirable therefore that a summary should now be published of those goods and services on which a legal maximum price remains in force under the provisions of the Wartime Prices and Trade Regulations so that all citizens may be given an opportunity to inform themselves of the law.

The complete price control regulations are contained in Wartime Prices and Trade Board Order No. 684 which is available to the public at any office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, and to which reference should be made for exact details.

Douglas Coopers
Minister of Finance.

Summary of

GOODS AND SERVICES REMAINING SUBJECT TO MAXIMUM PRICES

Under Wartime Prices and Trade Board Order No. 684

FOODS

- All flours, flour mixes and meals.
- Yeast.
- Bread, bread rolls, biscuits and bakery products.
- Processed cereals, cooked or uncooked, including breakfast cereals, macaroni, vermicelli, spaghetti, noodles and other alimentary paste products.
- Rice.
- Pot and pearl barley.
- Shelled corn, but not including popping corn.
- Dried peas, soy beans, dried beans except lima beans and red kidney beans.
- Baking powder.
- Sugar, sugar cane syrup, corn syrup, grape sugar, glucose.
- Edible molasses.
- Honey.
- Milk products—1946 production.
- Candy, confectionery and caramel.
- Tea, coffee, coffee concentrates.
- Cacao beans, cocoa butter, cocoa and chocolate and beverage preparations containing cocoa or powdered milk.
- Soft drinks and soft drink concentrates, except mineral, sparkling or spring waters in their natural form.
- Malt, malt extract, malt syrup.
- Vinegar.
- Black pepper and white pepper, and substitutes containing black or white pepper.
- Butter.
- Caseln.
- Cheddar cheese, processed cheese and cream cheese.
- Concentrated milk products of all kinds.
- Ice cream.
- Prepared salad dressings; salad and cooking oils.
- Salt.
- Fresh apples—1946 crop.
- Raisins, currants, prunes, dried dates, dehydrated apples.
- Tomatoes, tomato sauce, tomato paste, tomato pulp, tomato puree, tomato catsup, chili sauce, when in hermetically sealed cans or glass.
- Canned pork and beans, canned spaghetti and canned soups.
- Canned corn, canned peas, canned beans excluding the lima and red kidney varieties.
- Canned apricots, canned peaches, canned pears, canned cherries, canned plums.
- Fruits and vegetables in the two preceding items when frozen and sold in consumer size packages.
- Jams, jellies, marmalades.
- Meat and meat products, not including game, pet foods, and certain varieties of cooked and canned meats and sandwich spreads.

- Sausage casings, animal and artificial.
- Live and dressed poultry; poultry products except certain varieties of canned poultry and canned poultry sandwich spreads.
- Eggs in the shell; eggs frozen or powdered.
- Canned salmon, canned sea trout, canned pilchard.
- Edible animal and vegetable fats including lard and shortenings.

CLOTHING

- Men's, youths' and boys' suits, pants, coats and other clothing except fur coats.
- Fabric caps.
- Men's, youths' and boys' furnishings, as follows: shirts, collars, blouses, underwear, pyjamas, night shirts and dressing gowns.
- Women's, misses', girls', children's and infants' garments of all kinds (except fur coats) and of any material (except pure silk).
- Brassieres and foundation garments.
- Women's, misses', girls' and children's accessories as follows: neckties, bibs, halters, neckwear, collars, cuffs and aprons.
- Children's and infants' headwear of all kinds, except misses' millinery or hats made from fur felt.
- Knitted wear of all kinds for either sex, including undergarments, outer garments, hosiery, stockings, socks and headwear, but not including pure silk garments, silk stockings or women's and misses' millinery.
- Handkerchiefs.
- Work clothing, including aprons, for either sex.
- Uniforms for either sex.
- Sportswear for either sex, but not including bathing suits and bathing caps.
- Rubber clothing, rubberized clothing, waterproof, show-proof and oiled clothing, except specialized industrial clothing.
- Gloves, gauntlets, mitts and mittens of all kinds for either sex, except those designed as specialized sports equipment or for specialized industrial uses.
- Diapers and diaper supports.
- Footwear of all kinds and of any material.

HOUSEHOLD AND OTHER TEXTILES

- Auto and travelling rugs, bedspreads, blankets of all kinds, canvas fronts, card table covers, face cloths, handkerchiefs, luncheon sets, mattress of all kinds, napkins, pillows, pillow cases, pillow forms, quilts, quilts, sheets

- (including rubber and plastic coated sheeting), shower curtains, silence cloths, sleeping bags, swings, table cloths, tents, throw-covers, towels, wash cloths, window blinds, window shades.
- Slip covers for furniture; covers for baby carriages, bassinets, cribs, cushions, mattresses, ironing boards and toilet seats.
- Pads for baby baskets, baby carriages, card tables, chairs, ironing boards, mattresses and playpens.
- Bags for household use, garment bags, haversacks, dunnage bags.
- Scrap fabrics, including used scrap fabrics except wiping rags.
- Floor rugs and mats chiefly of cotton.
- Table and shelf cloths.

DOMESTIC FUELS

- Coal, coke and briquettes.
- Wood fuels, sawdust and charcoal.

HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

- Cooking stoves and ranges, but not including range-tops.
- Electrical and gas refrigerators.
- Washing machines.
- Furnaces, fire-place heaters and other heating equipment except portable electric heaters.
- Jacket heaters and other water heating equipment.
- Plumbing and sanitary equipment as follows:
 - All pipe and fittings of a type and size suitable for installation in domestic heating or water systems.
 - All equipment known commercially as "plumber's brass".
 - Other plumbing and sanitary equipment as follows: bathtub, closet bowls, commodes, closet seats and hinges, chemical toilets, closet tanks, household water softeners, household water storage tanks, lavatories, laundry tubs, septic tanks, sinks, shower baths, soil pipe and fittings, wash basins.
- Domestic sewing machines.
- Soap and soap compounds.

MOTOR VEHICLES AND ACCESSORIES, BICYCLES

- Motor vehicles, including parts and accessories, as follows: passenger motor vehicles designed to carry less than ten persons; motorcycles; trucks and trailers used with trucks.
- Automotive truck bodies.
- Pneumatic tires and tubes.
- Storage batteries, except for specialized industrial uses.

- Bicycles, parts and accessories.

CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS

- Lumber of all kinds.
- Millwork such as doors, sashes, windows, stairs and gates.
- Plywood and veneers.
- Pre-cut lumber products designed for use in residential or farm buildings, but not including fully pre-fabricated buildings.
- Gypsum board and gypsum lath.
- Wallboards and building boards.
- Insulation products, but not including pipe and boiler coverings.
- Builders' lime and plaster.
- Cast iron soil pipe.
- Nails, staples, rivets, bolts and nuts.
- Builders' hardware and locks.
- Building wires and wiring devices for residential buildings.

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, IMPLEMENTS, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

- Practically all items of farm machinery, including planting, seeding and fertilizing equipment, plows, tillage implements and cultivators, haying machinery, harvesting machinery, tractors, wagons, dairy machines and equipment, sprayers and dusters.
- Articles of barn and barnyard equipment.
- Incubators, brooders, poultry feeding and watering equipment.
- Stationary gas engines.
- Beeskeepers' supplies.
- Harness and harness hardware.
- Barbed wire and other fencing wire and fences.
- Horsehoes and horsehoe collets and nails.
- Blind twine.
- Wheelbarrows.
- Feeds and feed products of all kinds except horse meat, pet foods, straw, clam shell and poultry grit.
- Agricultural limestone, hydrated lime and chemical fertilizers of all kinds.
- Gopher poisons.
- Seed beans and seed peas.
- Grains as follows: wheat; barley; oats; flaxseed; buckwheat; rapeseed; sunflower seed; grain screenings.

RAW AND PROCESSED MATERIALS

- Basic iron and steel products and alloys, including pig iron, cast iron, scrap, ingots, bars, plate, rods, and wire.
- Primary, secondary and fabricated mill forms of the following non-ferrous metals and their alloys: aluminum, titanium, copper, lead, nickel, tin and zinc.

- Tractor distillates and gasoline.
- Crude rubber, synthetic rubber and latices, reclaimed rubber.
- Paper board used in the manufacture of solid fibre or corrugated shipping cases.
- Boxboard grades of paperboard, except for wrapping newspaper cores.
- Plastic sheeting and other plastic shapes for further processing.
- Crushed or burnt limestone.
- All fats and oils, including Vitamin oils, of animal, vegetable or marine origin but not including cod liver oil when bottled for sale at retail.
- Natural occurring animal and vegetable waxes, but not including polishes.
- Glue stock, glues and adhesives.
- Starches.
- All kinds of knitted or woven fabrics, except pure silk fabrics.
- Bobbinet, dress and curtain nets and netting.
- Yarns and threads, except pure silk, for the knitting and weaving of fabrics.
- Fibres (natural and synthetic) except pure silk fibres used in the manufacture of yarns and threads, and waste products from processing.
- Sewing, embroidery and crocheting yarns, threads and floss, except pure silk.
- Rubberized, plastic and other coated fabrics.
- Elastic yarns, fabrics, and webbing.
- Cotton, wool or hair felts.
- Down and feathers but not including decorative feathers.
- Hides and skins from animals, reptiles or fish, of a type ordinarily processed for use as leather.
- Leathers and synthetic leathers of all kinds.
- Sheepskin shearlings, tanned, but not further processed than combed or sheared and coloured on the flesh side.

PULP, PAPER AND PAPER PRODUCTS

- Pulpwood.
- Wastepaper.
- Wood pulp, except:
 - dissolving grades,
 - "alpha" grades of bleached sulphate,
 - "Dura-cell",
 - groundwood and unbleached sulphate grades sold for the manufacture of newspaper or hanging paper.
- Newspaper paper except when sold by manufacturers thereof.
- Certain paper products of book, writing, light weight and specialty paper mills, such as bond and stationery paper, duplicating paper, book and writing paper, Bristol, uncoated blotting paper, cover paper and most papers for converting purposes.

- Papers used for converting or printing purposes made wholly or partly of bleached or unbleached Kraft pulp and Kraft waste.
- Paper board used in the manufacture of solid fibre or corrugated shipping cases.
- Boxboard grades of paperboard, except for wrapping newspaper cores or making newspaper cores.

CONTAINERS AND PACKAGING MATERIALS

- Containers, packaging and wrapping devices of a type used for the sale or shipment of products, when made in whole or in part from wood, metal, a textile fabric or solid or corrugated fibre board, and partitions and interior parts used in conjunction therewith.
- Multiswall sacks.
- Corrugated or solid fibre board sheets or rolls used for wrapping or packaging.
- Cotton cordage.

SERVICES

- Transportation of goods and services associated therewith.
- Warehousing; dry storage of general merchandise and household goods other than wearing apparel; cold storage, including rental of lockers and ancillary services such as processing charges in cold storage plants.
- Household laundering services.
- Supplying of meals or refreshments for consumption on the seller's premises, the supplying of beverages (except alcoholic beverages) by purveyors of meals or refreshments; the supplying of meals with sleeping accommodation for a combined charge, but not including the supplying of meals, refreshments or sleeping accommodation by an employer to his employees, directly or through a servant or agent.
- The service of printing, the packing or packaging or any other manufacturing process in respect of any goods subject to maximum prices, when performed on a custom of commission basis.

USED GOODS

- Scrap goods, except scrap rubber and wiring rags.
- Household mechanical refrigerators, stoves, ranges and other cooking or heating appliances, electric washing machines, domestic sewing machines.
- Bicycles.
- Motor vehicles as follows: passenger motor vehicles designed to carry less than ten persons; trucks of all kinds; trailers used with trucks.

Any material shown above processed for incorporation into, or any fabricated component part of any of the above goods is subject to maximum prices. Also any set which contains an article referred to above is subject to maximum prices even though the remainder of the set consists of articles not referred to.

The foregoing is only a convenient summary of Board Order No. 684. It does not give the full legal text. For full details of the law reference should be made to the Order.

D. GORDON, Chairman.
Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

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BRITAIN'S MECHANICAL BRAIN

Experts of Britain's National Physical Laboratory are building a Mechanical Brain. The machine is called the Ace—the Automatic Computing Engine—and it is claimed that the machine will solve in a few

seconds problems which would take a team of mathematicians years to work out.

The Ace will cost more than \$500,000. In this picture one of the laboratory experts is seen at work on the wiring of one section of this very complicated machine.

ABBOT ANNOUNCES REMOVAL OF SOME PRICE CONTROLS; RENT CONTROL TO STAY

A further step in the orderly removal of emergency controls, effective January 13, was announced on Saturday by Hon. Douglas Abbott, Minister of Finance, involving removal of a variety of goods and services from price control and reducing the controlled list of goods of basic importance in living costs and production costs.

Among goods being released from price control are the majority of items which may be described as household equipment and supplies, including furniture, small appliances, kitchen and cooking utensils, tableware and cutlery, brooms and brushes, pails, radios, pianos and clocks. Tools and garden equipment, handbags and leather luggage, paints and varnishes, and a number of building supplies such as clay products, cement, stone, and sheet metal products are also decontrolled.

In the sphere of food, the important deletions are fresh vegetables and fresh fruits except for apples, most kind of fish, and ice. Certain imported foods, such as tapioca, fruit juices, and peanuts are also deleted as well as canned fruits and vegetables other than the large staple items.

Among the services, barbering, hairdressing and beauty parlor prices and moving picture admissions are no longer subject to price control.

The list of goods which still remain subject to price control contains most of the basic foods, practically all articles of clothing, boots and shoes, most textile home furnishings, coal and wood fuels, the major household appliances and heating and plumbing equipment, automobiles, tires and gasoline rentals, household laundry services, restaurant prices, freight rates, storage rates, a variety of basic materials such as steel, copper, rubber, lumber, and pulp, and certain other goods which are important in production costs such as farm machinery.

35 FARMERS IN ALBERTA WIN AWARDS

Thirty-five Alberta farmers won \$3,385 of the prize money in the \$25,000 National Barley Contest sponsored by the Brewing and Malt Industries of Canada.

The provincial championship for growing Alberta's best sample of malted barley in 1946 went to Geo. W. Johnson, Red Deer, who was awarded \$400. There were four provincial prizes. Second, third and fourth place awards went to Ted Casavant, Legal, \$300; Louis St. Arnaud, Vimy, \$200; and Ray Niemela, Benalto, \$100.

All four provincial winners also won regional prizes for growing high quality barley in their districts. Mr. Johnson placed first in Region Four and Mr. Casavant in Region One for which they got an additional \$160. Mr. St. Arnaud was second in Region One and Mr. Niemela in Region Four for which they each received \$130. These prizes were in addition to their provincial prizes.

For purpose of the contest Alberta was divided into four regions. In each region there were 10 cash prizes starting with \$160 for first place and graduated down to \$40 for 10th place. In Region Two only five prizes were given because the number of entries was insufficient to justify ten. The Regional winners in districts 4 were:

George W. Johnson, Red Deer; Ray Niemela, Benalto; John George Hambling, Midnapore; Roberta T. Culling, Dog Pound; Neil M. Maxwell, Innisfail; Andrew Giffen, Okotoks; Jack Donomey, Red Deer; Wesley Houchin, Bowden; Walter O. Johnson, Eckville; William Aldred, Crossfield.

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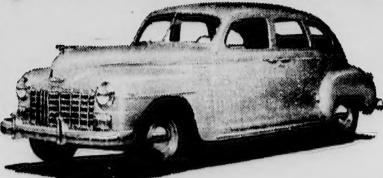
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-: DISTRICT NEWS:-

NOTES FROM THE EAST

(Week of January 12)
Mrs. D. Jenkins entertained the Lone Pine W.I. for their first meeting in 1947 with the new president, Mrs. S. Elliott, presiding.
The meeting opened by singing "Smile Awhile." Thirteen members answered roll call with a New Year's Resolution. The W.I. decided to give donations of \$5 and \$10 to the Blind Institute and the Neapolis Skating Rink respectively.
Mrs. Sandy Brander gave the talk on Social Welfare. She chose for her paper, "Statinic Paralysis," which was a very interesting subject. The W.I. are planning to sell lunch at the Fred Metz sale in February. Mrs. Brander won the ten cent draw. The meeting closed in the usual manner with thanks to our hostess for a delightful lunch.
The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Huggard on the third Wednesday in February, roll call to be answered with a home made Valentine or pay a fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Brander were Friday visitors at the home of Mrs. W. McCulloch.
Mr. Earl Wood was a business visitor to Calgary last week. We are sorry to learn that Earl was unsuccessful in getting his farm through the settlement board.
Mr. and Mrs. R. Eckel and Mr. and Mrs. B. Sheils visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Coates on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sheils entertained Mr. and Mrs. Alfie and little Beverly, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner, Bobby and Alwyn, to a moose supper. During the meal young Bobby said, "Please, I want another piece of buffalo." (A pretty good substitute, eh?)

Only a few ratenavers attended the Jutland School Board meeting on Saturday afternoon. An election of officers took place. Those elected were: Mrs. S. Elliott, Mr. C. Neufeld and Mr. B. Sheils.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood were supper guests with Mrs. Coates and family.

The program committee for the W.I. met as scheduled at Mrs. Coates' and prepared the books for the year to follow. Those present were Mrs. H. Sheils, Mrs. G. Rathburn and Mrs. B. Sheils. Jutland ladies are good sports to keep appointments. A little thing like a blizzard is nothing to them. They get out and walk or take a tractor or push a car when it's stuck. Anything will do just as long as they get there.

THE ANNUAL "CANADIAN BONFIRE"

The protection of the forests on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains is of as much concern to the farmers on the prairie as is the protection of their own farm land. In Norway, only about 2,000 acres of forest land is burned by forest fires each year. In Canada 2,500,000 acres a year is the contribution to the national bonfire. Every acre of mountain forest lost by fire is not only a serious wastage of a national asset, but a menace to the welfare of agriculture on the prairies.

People who can't get their own way become either a noisy nuisance or a silent menace.

BERGEN NOTES

Percele Blain has had a severe attack of pleurisy. A trained nurse attended him until he had improved in health.

Zella Brower has resigned as supervisor of the Bergen school to take training as a nurse. Olive Cooper has taken over the school. Mrs. Harold Clemens visited her daughter, Mrs. Jean Paul, in Edmonton and also other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Regehr and Mr. Henry Regehr, Walter and Herby were Sunday visitors at Sharnerville. They were delighted with the trip but had to return home to some pressing duties.

Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Toews and son Lewis visited in Kansas for a while and now are in Mexico. They are having real vacation before they return home.

Eddie Boese is back at the mill and has resumed his old job of tailing the saw and scaling the lumber as it is sawn.

Jack Davies is feeding the planer and Walter Baerg is tailing it.

Alie Klassen exchanged places with Leon Unruh, who has gone to the Paul Toews mill to set the mill and maybe run the saw. His wife Margaret accompanied him.

Paul Toews and Herman Isaacs bought a new saw mill and will soon be scattering sawdust.

Olaf Haug and wife, and Rev. H. Robinson and wife attended church in Calgary on New Years.

Little Ernest Clarke is in the hospital threatened with pneumonia. Mrs. Pete Baerg is at home near Sunnyslope for a while.

Mrs. Paul Baerg is feeling much better and can now enjoy the mill activities.

Annie Reimer, who was cooking at Camp Sharnier, did not come back after the New Year.

Ether Isaacs is cooking for the Paul Toews camp on Section 16.

Aaron Giesbrecht, who was the chief sawyer, did not return after the New Year, so after trying out a few men, Toby Sharnier now handles the stick. If the carriage stays on the track and the logs increase in size, 10,000 feet may be rolling out by spring.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

After playing cribbage for 24 years, Ralph Churchill of Sutton, Mass., finally was dealt a perfect hand, 29 points.

A two-year Soviet-Norwegian trade agreement was signed at Moscow, concluding three weeks' negotiations.

A jackdaw which has made its home up a school at Farnborough, England, steals pens, pencils and chalk.

Feuding no coal at a Boise, Idaho, fuel yard, burglars made a second choice. They stole an axe, a cross-cut saw and a log chain.

UNRRA is sending Italy an entire penicillin factory from the United States, the director of the UNRRA mission to Italy disclosed.

The Norwegian Bible Society has announced that 100,000 Bibles are being printed in Norway to satisfy "Bible hunger" in that country.

U. S. Fleet Admiral William H. Bull Halsey, Jr., 64, has been named as a candidate for active participation in naval affairs at his own request.

Bananas now are grown in Ireland. Three hills imported from the tropics in 1929 have produced fruit in an electrically-heated Ireland greenhouse.

A Royal Navy Volunteer Reserve officer's association has been formed to maintain a London clubhouse, establish a welfare fund, publish a magazine and hold reunions.

Air Experts Triumph Over Fog Menace

High Pressure Burners That Heat Atmosphere Clear Fog, Scientists Say. The fog of science, probing through the inviolable, are robbing fog of its menace.

In experiments here, fog has been dispersed to a level as high as 2000 feet from the earth. Regularly, the sun's stuff is caused to disappear 200 feet up, plenty high to permit safe landings of aircraft. FIDO, war-born expert of intensive dispersal of fog, now beamed up to increased efficiency in the answer.

At the fog-wet naval air station here, a high pressure system of burners heats the atmosphere. Ordinary, low-grade diesel oil, atomized through special nozzles under pressure of 1,500 pounds a square inch, casts its heat upward, at a thermal rate doubling that of older systems.

Both directly and by radiation, the heat swirls upward to dispel the fog. After a few minutes, the soupiest fog disappears over the runway, permitting planes approaching by electronic controls to make clear landings.

However, the army, navy and United Airlines experts charged with heating fog have other potential uses up their respective sleeves.

Some fog dispersal is one. A battery of 12 power saws, lining the upwind side of the runway, blast at intervals, creating a powerful sound wave. In the sound wave, the particles of fog move in cycles which vary with the sizes of the droplets.

As the particles move, they collide and as they collide, they coalesce and grow. When a particle becomes sufficiently heavy, it simply drops to the ground. And the fog dissipates.

Other uses up the scientific sleeve include curtains of water and air. The air, blown upward, comes into play when the wind is blowing fog across a runway from the side. This causes the heat to drift aside, reducing the visibility ordinarily achieved. Hence, a curtain the windward edge of the runway, if air will be blown straight up, on creating artificially, an eddy which slows down the wind blowing horizontally. Such action serves to maintain the heat over the runway, continuing the clearing where it is needed.

Very Ancient Boats

Most Interesting Type Ever Found In England Being Salvaged

The London Times says work has begun on excavating two plank boats discovered embedded in the banks of the River Humber, at North Ferry, a few miles from Hull. The boats are at least 2,000 years old, and efforts will be made to dig them out in a solid block of clay and haul them to the fore shore by slipping a sled of steel underneath them.

C. W. Phillips of Cambridge University, who with Dr. Riederleith of the British Museum Research Laboratory, is superintending the excavations, describes them as the most interesting ancient boats found in this country. They are a unique type of Humbercraft craft certainly embedded in the mud when Julius Caesar landed.

They were made in plank from Mr. Phillips explains, sewn with yew withes and cleverly counter-sunk to avoid wear. Possibly they paddled. They are certainly not in the ancestral line of European sailing ships. He regards the discovery as of great importance in the history of European water transport. Only 20 feet of one boat is left, and the other is about 37 feet long.

Luzon is the largest and richest island of the Philippines.



TO WED TENNIS PLAYER

Adopted daughter of the late John Barrymore, and tennis player John Howard will be married in New York, Dec. 30, it is reported in Hollywood.

Health LEAGUE OF CANADA presents TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST

IODINE LACK CAUSES GOITRE

Despite the fact that lack of iodine causes simple, or endemic goitre, and despite the fact that iodized salt is the most practical method for supplying iodine, only one-half the salt used in Ontario last year was iodized.

Dr. McHenry, Professor of Public Health Nutrition, School of Hygiene, University of Toronto, was speaking at one of a series of nutrition lectures arranged by the Toronto Branch of the Health League. He said that goitre is a nutritional disease which is being badly overlooked.

He added that it is known that it is not possible for most people in Canada to obtain sufficient iodine from customary supplies of food and drinking water. Therefore, limiting the sale of table salt so that only iodized salt could be purchased would be highly desirable.

Iodized salt was compulsory in all army and air force establishments in Canada during most of the war, he said, but "no one seems to care about civilians. So far as iodine and the prevention of goitre are concerned, civilians are left to their own resources."

Dr. McHenry said that nutritional conditions in Canada are sufficiently good that only one deficiency disease, goitre, occurs, with any frequency among adults. Rickets and scurvy were occasionally found in babies, but diseases caused by faulty nutrition which have plagued other countries, like beriberi and pellagra, are non-existent in Canada.

He said sufficient quantities of different foodstuffs are available in Canada to provide every Canadian with nutrients needed for health, but there is evidence that the food habits of many need to be improved and that the available foods are not being properly used.

"Ignorance and indifference," he said, are the two main causes for malnutrition in Canada. As for overweight, Dr. McHenry said he includes obesity under malnutrition.

Thrifty Canadians

Thousands of People Investing Their Savings In Safe Securities

In spite of a high mark in spending among Canadians at the present time as they seek to replace mounds worn out during the war years when they were not available, we are maintaining a high level of saving.

The figures for the Canadian Savings Bond drive recently astonished a lot of people. Canadians bought well over \$400,000,000 worth of these bonds, and they did so with the least possible urging. This figure was far larger than was reached in any war loan drive during the First Great War.

On top of this the people of Canada bought \$210,187,000 worth of ordinary life insurance in the month of October. This does not take into account pension bonds, annuities, group insurance or paid-up additions to present policies. It's a high figure, very considerably higher than the previous monthly levels.

Not only does this show a great confidence in Canadian life insurance concerns but it also shows that the people of the Dominion are putting into practice the thrift-lessons they learned during the war. It's just another reason why Canada stands high in the eyes of the world. —Lethbridge Herald.

Need Of Humor For Happy Home

Mrs. Geoffrey Fisher Stresses On Essential Foundations For Children's Happiness

LONDON.—Security and a sense of humor are prescribed by Mrs. Geoffrey Fisher, wife of the Archbishop of Canterbury, as essential foundations of a happy home. Mother of six sons, Mrs. Fisher spoke in a broadcast.

"Home-making is not an easy job," she said. "Besides hard work and sacrifice, it needs self-control and patience, but perhaps a sense of humor is the most important quality needed for family life."

Children needed a feeling of absolute security, founded on trust in their parents.

"There is no more tragic figure than that of a child who has discovered for the first time that his father or mother has let him down. At first he will make all sorts of excuses for his parents, but if it continues he becomes callous and cynical."

"Many homes are breaking up because of a lack of truth, faithfulness and love in their family relationships. Children from these broken homes become problems because the security needed for their development was taken from them."

The family is the best training ground for life, Mrs. Fisher said, because it represents the community in miniature, and the intimate family circle is the best testing place of character.

FAIR WARNING

Little Mike didn't like kindergarten and refused to go any more.

His mother reasoned with him, scolded him, threatened him, and definitely insisted on his returning.

"Ok, Mom," said the little boy. "If you want me to grow up to be a headstranger, I'll go."

THEIR HELP NEEDED

The R.A.F. has appealed to all German civilians and authorities to help in the search for 20,000 R.A.F. pilots reported missing over Germany during the war, the British news service in Germany reported.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"I save money by letting my wife buy dollars she won't come back from downtown empty-handed."

LITTLE REGGIE



PEGGY



THE TILLERS



A Closed Country

But Russia Eventually Will Have To End Its Isolation

It would be difficult to imagine a more completely closed state than Russia in this age of communication, says the Winnipeg Free Press. Such a trade-proof and information-proof zone is indeed one of the miracles of our age and is only possible in a police state.

It may be a long distance off yet, but the time will come when Russia, like the United States, will have to end its isolation. In the present world nearly two hundred million energetic people, covering a large part of the earth's surface and owning a large part of its resources, cannot be hived off from other peoples in a vacuum. All nature, in politics as in physics, operates to destroy the vacuum wherever it appears.

NO CANADIAN BUTTER EXPORTED TO UNITED KINGDOM

It has been reported frequently that Canada has exported important quantities of butter to the United Kingdom. That is not correct, stated J. F. Singleton, Associate Director, Marketing Service, Dairy Products, Dominion Department of Agriculture, and chairman, Dairy Producers Board, in an address at the recent convention of the Ontario Creamery Association, at Niagara Falls, Ont. No butter, he said, had been exported to the United Kingdom, although no doubt relatively small quantities of Canadian butter have been provided for ships' stores, and these would be classified as exports to the countries to which the ships were sailing. Total quotas established amounted to 3.6 million pounds, of which 2 million pounds was "cooking" butter of such low quality that there was no market for the product in Canada. Quotas for "table" butter totaled 2.6 million pounds. The quantity exported will amount to about 1.7 per cent. of total production of creamery and dairy butter.

Though there is no grass in Iceland, sheep raising is one of the chief industries. The sheep graze on moss, as do caribou and musk-ox in our northern latitudes.



STUDIES WITH STOGIE—Mean-

ant aroma of a mild Havana cigar is enjoyed—she says—by Joan Buckley, freshman at Back Bay college, Boston, as she does her lessons. She averages one cigar a week and insists she likes them.

A USEFUL TIP

Do you dislike going to the dentist because of the pain he causes you? Then take a tip from Dr. Sidney Tarachow, a New York psychiatrist, who said that the next time you make an appointment with your dentist, go there with a full stomach. Hunger, he said, increases physical tension and pain.

Wooden matches are made at a rate of 1,125,000 an hour on modern machines.

Atlantic Wireless Forty-Five Years Old

Newsfoundland Received First Signals From Cornwall, England

The first wireless signals across the Atlantic were received Dec. 12, 1901, in a little room in Cabot tower on a hill in Newfoundland now known as Signal hill. Guglielmo Marconi, and two assistants, P. W. Paget and G. S. Kemp, had been anxiously waiting since the previous day for a series of S signals from a station at Poldhu, Cornwall, England.

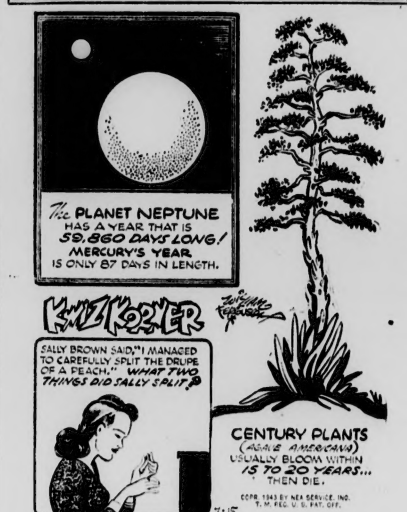
Suddenly the silence was broken by a series of dots, and the three young scientists had done the impossible and received a message over 1,600 miles of rugged Atlantic water. Marconi began his experiments which laid the foundation for wireless communication in Bologna, Italy, in 1895. Studying electricity at the university there he became fascinated with certain phenomena. His first experiment consisted of pushing a button in his father's villa and ringing a bell at a considerable distance away without the use of wires.

When he announced his intention of bridging the Atlantic by wireless it was declared impossible. Now a young scientist had done the impossible by the Canadian Marconi company in 1929 will be dedicated in a formal presentation to the people of Newfoundland early next summer. Dedication ceremonies were postponed with the declaration of war.

Less than 10 per cent. of the potential water power of the world has been developed, according to estimates.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By WILLIAM FERGUSON



"I save money by letting my wife buy dollars she won't come back from downtown empty-handed."

ANSWER: An infinitive and a peach stone.

By Margarita



By Chuck Thurston



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20-oz. tins **2 for 29c**
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OUR FISHING INDUSTRY

The full record of Canada's fishermen during wartime is now on view and their record of service in feeding a hungry and troubled world is a proud one. Over four billion pounds of fish caught and marketed during the war, of which

over 2½ billion pounds was exported. In addition to this, huge quantities of valuable and necessary non-food fish products such as meal and oil were provided. The peril was great, but to their high credit it could not deter the fishermen from going regularly about their part in the national war effort.

VETERINARY SUPPLIES

CUTTER'S BLACKLEGOL, 25 c.c. **60c**
CUTTER'S BLACKLEGOL, 50 c.c. **1.00**
CUTTER'S PELMENAL, 50 c.c. **1.00**
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DR. BILL'S CATTLE CATHARTIC **60c**
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DR. BILL'S UDDER BALM **65c**
GENUINE VASELINE, 1 lb. **60c**
B.D. VET. SYRINGE, with one needle, 10 c.c.—
Priced at **1.75**

LAW'S DRUG STORE

The Rexall Store — Phone: Store 40—House 139

LOCAL NEWS

—K. Roy McLean, Optometrist of Calgary, will be in Didsbury, Monday a.m., February 3rd, at the Rosebud Hotel. Consult Mr. McLean in his Calgary office, 1015 Southam Building, daily except Monday.

Henry Roeth is around again after spending ten days in the hospital following an accident when he fell and injured a few ribs.

Charles Dickau has purchased the A. Perrin property next to the Lawrence Dickau residence in east Didsbury and expects to build this summer and move to town.

—Don't forget the Annual Meeting of the Didsbury West Mutual Telephone Company in the Lions Hall on Saturday, January 25th, at 2.30.

Bill Wrigglesworth who for the past five years has been electrician for the Dominion Bridge Co. and Riverside Iron Works in Calgary has accepted a position with the Dominion Department of Transport at Edmonton.

—The Westcott Hockey Club will sponsor a short program and box social at the Westcott school on Friday, January 24th.

Garnet Tighe has purchased a new Ford car from the local dealer, Roger Barrett.

—Don't forget the Peo Wee Hockey Game at Carstairs on Wednesday evening, January 22nd, at 8 p.m. when Didsbury plays Carstairs.

Miss Myrtle Erb who is at present at Biggar, Sask., expects to leave sometime in February for Africa where she will take up missionary work.

According to latest information received by the local Chevrolet dealer, Ed Ford, the production of 1947 model cars has commenced.

E. G. Ranton was a business visitor to Calgary Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Spencer of Fleet, Alta., and Mrs. D. Boettger of Sundre, are visiting in town with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Burkholder.

The Junior W.A. of Knox United Church will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter McCoy on Monday evening, January 27th, at 8 p.m. sharp.

—The Neapolis Skating Club will sponsor a dance to be held in the Lone Pine Hall on Friday, January 24. Halliday's orchestra will provide the music.

Miss Harriet Law has accepted a position in Maybank's Drug Store at Olds.

Mrs. Christie and son Doug left on Saturday for their home at Cayley, after visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brinton, for the past week.

A turkey supper was enjoyed on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Worrall by the Hunter, Jones and Swanson families. Poor raffle turkey.

Mrs. Roy McArthur and daughter Jeanette and Marguerite spent the week end visiting her mother, Mrs. Walton, at Innisfail.

—New and factory reconditioned Ford and Mercury motors ready for changeover in 5 hours, at Cassidy's.

The Olds Fish and Game Association held their annual banquet in the arena auditorium Wednesday evening of last week. Local enthusiasts attending were Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Ady, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Klein, Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Wiggins, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dupont Sr., and Mrs. Peck.

Ranton's

WEEKLY STORE
:: NEWS ::

New Curtain Materials
New Living Room
CURTAINS

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New Overall Denim
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New White
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MEN'S HOUSE
SHOES **75c**

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**SATURDAY
SPECIALS**

A Few Pieces of Print.
5 yards to a customer.
No C.O.D. or phone calls
please.

Few pair of Flannelette
BLANKETS
LARGE SIZE

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In black and colors.

LOTS OF SPECIALS
FOR JANUARY

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And Meet Your Friends

The Senior W.A. of Knox United Church will meet on Thursday, February 6th at 2.45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Marion Morton. Please note the change of date.

The regular monthly meeting of the Didsbury Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held in the Lions Hall on Wednesday evening, January 29th, at 8 p.m.

Mr. Ben Good returned to Didsbury Tuesday after spending the past two weeks in the Fraser Valley of B.C. While there he saw Jim Phillipson, Hugh Ross, Mack Rickman and family, and James, Alvin and Arthur Gamble. He returned by plane from Vancouver to Calgary.

Emil Dupont has purchased a new Chevrolet truck from the local dealer, Edford Motors.

The weather turned cold for a few hours last week end but another Chinook Tuesday has again put us back in the banana belt.

If you want to keep it a secret, don't put it in the Want Ads.

NEW ARRIVALS

OF HARD-TO-FIND ARTICLES
IN LIMITED QUANTITIES

INLAID LINOLEUM—Heavy Pre-war Quality.
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STUDIO LOUNGES AND SUITES.

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Several of these are in service in the district and have proven very satisfactory... **53.50**

ONE ONLY—COLEMAN HEATER, large size.

AIR-COOLED ENGINES, 1½, 2½ and 5 H.P.

LIMITED SUPPLY OF

Bar Iron, flat and round; Nails, all sizes; Alarm Clocks; Good Stock Knives; Egg Beaters; Food Choppers; Hair Clippers; Scissors; Good House Brooms; Barber Scissors, Etc.

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SATURDAY !! LAST DAY OF BERSCHT'S JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

BOYS' LACE GUM BOOTS **1.25**
BOYS' WINDBREAKERS **1.95 to 4.29**
3 ONLY—CORDUROY SUITS, each ... 5.00
MEN'S CAPS **2 for 1.00**
MEN'S O'ALLS, PANTS & BIBS, pair .. **1.95**
MEN'S JUMBO SWEATERS, reg. to 7.50—
Sale Price **4.79**
LADIES' RAYON PANTIES, pair **69c**
LADIES' BEDROOM SLIPPERS, pair ... **1.00**
GIRLS' PYJAMAS **1.69**
CHILDREN'S SWEATERS **1.00**
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SATURDAY ONLY —
100 PAIRS LADIES' COTTON CREPE HOSE
Per pair **85c**

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DRY CLEANING SPECIALS

Leave Your Cleaning Tuesday Morning and Pick Up Friday. Take advantage of our 3-day Service Protect and Make Your Clothes Wear Longer by Sending Them to Us for Dry Cleaning.

SPECIAL RATES !!

HATS **50c** SPRING COATS **75c**
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MEPHISTO HADDIES, 1's, per tin **33c**
PURE RASPBERRY JAM, 48-oz. tin **99c**
SQUIRREL PEANUT BUTTER, 16-oz. **45c**
RED & WHITE COFFEE, 1-lb. tin **49c**
FIREGLOW POP CORN, 4½-oz. tin **39c**
KEMP'S SALTED CASHEWS, 7-oz. tin .. **49c**
Burns' CARNATION SHORTENING, 1 lb. **19c**
McLAREN'S RICE FLOUR, 14-oz. **16c**

PLATE GLASS BARN LIGHTS

TWO SIZES—8x10, each **15c**
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THREE MODELS — **2.85; 3.25; 4.95**

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